

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

MAXWELL KADEL, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DALE FOLWELL, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 1:19-cv-00272-LCB-LPA

MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

NOW COMES Lauren H. Evans, who previously made a special appearance pursuant to Local Rule 83.1(d), respectfully requests an order allowing her to withdraw as counsel for all Plaintiffs in the above-captioned civil action (“Plaintiffs”). In support of this motion, undersigned counsel states as follows:

1. On September 8, 2021, Ms. Evans of the law firm McDermott Will & Emery LLP (“McDermott”) entered a notice of special appearance as counsel for the Plaintiffs.
2. Ms. Evans will be leaving the employment of McDermott effective September 5, 2022.
3. Dmitriy G. Tishyevich and Warren Haskel will continue to represent Plaintiffs on behalf of McDermott, as well as all counsel who have entered a notice of appearance on behalf of Plaintiffs, so there will be no detriment to or disruption to the Plaintiffs’ legal representation.
4. All Plaintiffs are aware that they will continue to be represented by attorneys

from McDermott as well as all counsel who have entered a notice of appearance on behalf of Plaintiffs.

5. The undersigned certifies that the granting of this Motion will not delay the proceedings in this matter or this Court.

WHEREFORE, undersigned counsel respectfully asks this Court to grant this motion for leave of Court to withdraw Ms. Evans' representation of the Plaintiffs and to terminate Ms. Evans' appearance of counsel of record in this case.

Dated: September 1, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lauren H. Evans, hereby certify that on September 1, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing document using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all parties who have appeared with an email address of record.

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